and Brazil.

COMMERCIAL. WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS IN ALEXANDRIA. WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS IN ALEXANDRIA Flour, Fine. \$3,75 \$4,00 Superfine. 4,75 \$6,50 Extra. 5,75 \$6,60 Extra. 6,25 \$6,50 Family. 7,75 \$8,00 Fancy brands. 7,75 \$8,00 Wheat, common to fair. 1,20 \$1,25 Good to prime. 1,25 \$1,30 Choice 1,35 \$0,137 Cora, white. 0,53 \$0,054 Mixed. 0,52 \$0,053 Yellow. 0,56 \$0,00 Rye. 0,56 \$0,00 Oats. 0,20 \$0,23 Butter, prime. 0,20 \$0,23 Common to middling. 0,12 \$0,15 Eggs. 0,15 \$0,00 Hogs. 4,50 \$0,50 Chickens. 1,50 \$0,20 Apples. 3,60 \$0,80 Clover Seed 5 75 6 00 Timothy 1 75 2 00 Plaster, ground, per ton 4 50 5 00 Ground, in bags or bbls 6 00 6 50 Lump 3 00 3 25 Salt, G. A. (Liverpool) 1 10 1 25 Fine 1 60 1 75 Turk's Island 0 30 0 40 Wool, long unwashed 0 28 0 0 29 Washed 0 38 0 40 Merino, unwashed 0 26 0 0 28 Do. washed 0 38 0 40 Clover Seed..... Do. washed 0 38 64 0 40 Sumac 1 00 60 1 25 Hay 12 00 64 15 00

The market opens with a slight improvement on the closing prices of last week, and we quote grain 1a2c higher Flour is quiet and unchanged. Receipts of Wheat amounted to 1370 bushels, and sales were made at 130a137, as to quality. 2130 bushels of Corn were offered, and sold at 54 for white, and 53 for mixed and yellow. Rye brought 60 for choice. No Cats reported. Country produce quiet and unchanged.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 21 .- Va. 6: deferred 4; do consolidated, 54; do. 2d series 394. Cotton dull; middling 1(3 ill. Flour fairly active and steady; Howard street and Western Super 3 75a54 2 do. Extra 4 504\$5 25; do. Family 5 754\$6 25; City Mills Super 3 754\$4 25; do. Extra 4 504 \$5 25; do. Rio brands 6 754\$7; Patapseo Family \$3. Wheat-Southern steady and firm; Westorn dull and weak; Southern red 120a138; do. amber 142; Penna red 133435; No. 2 Western winter red spot 134; Feb 1311. Corn—Southern firm; white higher; Western fairly active, but closed dull and weak; Southern white 48455; do. vellow 53a51; Western mixed spot 55ga551 Feb'g 552a56; March 551; April 571; Western steamer 51. Oats quiet and steady; Southern 33 a38; Western white 37; do. mixed 34:35; Penna steady; Maryland and Ponna prime 14a516 Coffee strong and higher; Rio cargoes 15141842; jobbing 1514191. Sugar steady with a good demand at 98292c. Whiskey dull and nominal at \$1 072.

dull at tale lower. Corn quiet and without dis-

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Cattle dull; sales of 2100; good 64c; medium 54c; common 6345c. Sheep dull; sales of 5000; good 54c; medium 44 a5c; common 34a4. Hogs dull; sales of 4000; good 6c; medium £4c; common 5a54c.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, JAN'Y. 21.

Str Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, to F A Reed. Str J W Thompson, Leonardtown, to FA Reed. SAILED.

Str Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, by F A Read.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

I will commence my assessments for the cor poration on the 1st day of February for the present year. As there appears to be some doubt as to what should be given in under the head of moneys, bonds, &c., and as to what a merchant should give in as capital employed in business, for the benefit of those interested they will find annexed an extract from the State revenue liw;

defining those subjects of taxation.
GEO. DUFFEY, Comm'r. of Rev enue. [Extract from State Revenue Laws.] The value in this State of all bonds, notes, and other evidences of debt, (the solvency of which, shall be determined by the commissioner,) in cluding bonds due from railroad and canal combonds of towns, counties and cities, and bonds of other States and corporations, demands and claims, however evidenced, owing or coming to you, whether due or not, from debtors residing out of or within this State or country, ment or not, deducting from the aggregate amount thereof all such bonds, demands, or, claims, not otherwise deducted, owing to others from you as principal debtor and not as guarantor, endorser, or surety. Each person is required to exhibit and make oath to a list of all Prof. J. H. Siddons will deliver his lecture, bonds, notes and other evidences of debt due and payable to such persons, in excess of \$100; the amounts of such bonds and notes and other evidences of debt under \$100 cach, to be given in under oath, in the aggregate, which said list shall be signed by the commissioner, and returned to the tax-payer. [The aggregate of principal, interest, and exchange shall constitute the amount of a bond, demand or claim due and payable, and the principal, with interest rebated when the bond, demand, or claim bears no interest, shall constitue the amount of a bond, demand or claim not yet due and payable. But no bond, demand, or claim constituting a part of the capital of a business done out of the State shall be included.] The value of capital, including moneys, credits or other thing remaining invested, whether said investment was made origially in this or in any other State or country, loaned, used or employed in business out of this State, by yourself, your agent, or other person for you. The value of all capital of incorporated joint stock companies, building or loan association, not otherwise taxed. [Real estate belonging to such company, shall not be held to be capital, but shall be listed and taxed as property ed in any trade or business, not otherwise taxed.
[Moneys and credits actively used and employed in carrying on trade or business, including goods, wares and merchandise on hand, and all solvent bonds, demands or claims made or contracted in the course of business during the pro-ceeding year, shall be held to be capital in such

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trade or business, and shall not be taxed other

wise than as such capital; but real estate shall

nothing herein shall be held to exclude from

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taxation any property which is the subject of such business] jan 21-tF1

not be listed as such capital, but shall be asses -

LIME Received the medal of honor and diploma of merit at the Centennial. The judge's report says: "It is very white slacks well and is valuable for building purposes." It has greater strength and will do more work for the mechanic than an equal quantity of any lime in the market. Spemh 9-w1v

Agents for Alexandria. 24 BAGS DRIED APPLES for sale by sung in the office at Charlottesville, and were dec 81 THOMAS PERRY, Agent.

NEW SUGARS received to day, Dec. 12, by dec 14 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES .- War Depart. ment, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washngton, D. C., Jan. 21, 1878-10:30 a. m.-For the Middle Atlantic States cloudy weather and light rain, followed by clearing weather, variable winds, shifting to colder northwesterly and falling followed by rising barometer.

LECTURE TO YOUNG MEN.—The M. E. Church was crowded last night to listen to the lecture to young men by the Rev. E. W. Andrews. It was pleasing to see so many young men among the audience. Mr. Andrews read as his text 1 Kings II., verses 1 to 3-"David's dying charge to his son Solomon." After a few introductory observations the preacher proceeded to the subject of his lecture as follows:-It is every man's duty to himself to improve and cultivate all his powers to the highest practica ble extent, and in their due proportion. Our

first enquiry therefore is, with what powers and faculties are we endowed? In reply, man has a body, a mind, and a soul or spirit. We may therefore arrange the powers of man in the folwhich reside in a self conscious mind; moral which have their origin in a self determing will, and spiritual which belong to the heart renewed seen in the arts and sciences, in history, philos in the bosom of the family and diffuse their last accounts was doing well. fragrant influence throughout well regulated social life. The fruits of the spiritual, or those with the Infinite Spirit of God—in its increasing joy in and resemblance to Him, and in a life of self denying labors for his honor and the eternal interests of man. Having taken this survey of the various faculties of man, the preacher proceeded to describe some of the forms of character which actually exist among men, and which illustrate the different powers and faculties with which they are endowed. First, is that which is found where the ani mal powers have the mastery of the man and subdue and smother all the nobler parts of his nature. The drunkard and debauchce were cited as examples of the triumphs of the baser elements of our nature. A second form of character results from the cultivation of the in-tellectual powers. The triumphs of mind are seen in the knowledge it has gained of almost all created things, from the stars of heaven

to the flowers of the field-in the arts of poetry, painting and music and elequence-in the institutions of human society and in its researches affections, and from recognizing, and in part at remain hereafter. 36a37. Rye quiet and nominally 64a66. Hay least obeying the laws of conscience. But finally the perfection of man's being, the high-New York, Jan. 21.—Stocks opened dall, to his highest dignity and blessedness. The but have since become firmer. Money 6. Gold preacher closed with an elequent peroration in which he recommended the young man present to his highest dignity and blessedness. The past. which he recommended the young men present to take the Bible as their guide. It is the lamp city, was here to day on business connected with et down from the throne of God to guide you thro' the bewildering shadows of earth up to

immortality. Upon its own pages are everywhere found the insignia of its celestial origin. * * * The lecture was listened to with the deepest and closest attention. Mr. Andrews will deliver a second lecture to young men in the same church next Sabbath evening, subject -"Practical directions and rules for the guidance of young men."

POLICE ITEMS.—The following cases have been tried since Saturday: -Sallie Bell and Mary Bell, colored, for dis

orderly conduct, were fined and discharged. Tohn Bright and Frank Johnson, the latter colored, for breaking the windows of Fenton Harris, colored, were fined and discharged. Frank Johnson was re arrested, however, as an escaped prisoner, and sent to the chain gang to work out an old fine.

George Langston, a tramp, for being drunk and disorderly, was ordered to leave the city.
Henry Dudley and Wm. James, colored, James sent to the chain gang in default of payment of fine.

Henry Smith and Henry Washington, colored, were up for an assault on the children of Officer Horseman. The former was dismissed and Washington fined and discharged.

AMUSEMENTS.—The performance at Sarepta Hall, on Saturday night, had a fair audience, although not so large as on the previous night. The performance of "A Widow Hunt" was, as on the previous night, excellent. The farce of whether secured by deed of trust, or by judg- "A Regular Fix" was well rendered and kept dred thousand small bottles of this medicine was the audience convulsed with laughter. Toright, the Alexandria Minstrels will present an

"Ghost Show," will appear.
Prof. J. H. Siddons will deliver his lecture,
"The Celebrated Men of Europe," before the
Aldine Literary Society, of this city, and their invited friends, on Thursday night next. The lecture is spoken of in very high terms, and those who hear it will, no doubt, be interested and instructed.

Prof. Boyd will deliver a free lecture on 'Memory, and how to acquire it," in the M. E. Church, on Washington street, to-morrow right, at 7:30 o'clock.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS .- The City Council Committee on Claims met at the Auditor's office on Saturday night, and partially considered the claim of Mr. A. W. Harrison for damages resulting to his wagon from a pile of rubbish on Fairfax street. The Corporation Attorney and the counsel for Mr. Harrison were present, but no decision was reached by the committee.

The Committee on Public Property met at the same place this morning. The parties who formerly contracted to furnish lumber for the repairs to the American coal wharf, having tailed to comply with their contract. the same was revoked and awarded to Mr. John Hawx-

THE UNION RELIEF. - We bave just received note from the treasurer of the ladies of the Union Relief desiring us to acknowledge the receipt of a handsome anonymous donation for the poor, and to return their thanks for the unfailing generosity of the gentlemen of Alexandria, this ed and taxed as other specific properly but being one of many responses that have been received through Mr. George H. Robinson and

others to the appeal made last week. In addition to the above Mr. E. S. Leadbeater, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, has donated his salary, for the past year, to the

seciety. YESTERDAY. -Yesterday was a rainy and disagroeable day, but notwithstanding that fact the churches generally had good congregations. Rev. Father Sourin, of Baltimore, preached at St. Mary's Church in the morning; Rev. E. W. Andrews at the Second Presbyterian Church in the morning, and at the M. E. Church at night. Rev. W. C. Webb preached in the Second Presbyterian Church at night.

Rev. W. C. Lucbkert preached in the German

Lutheran Church at night. The other pulpits

were filled by the regular clergy.

THE TELEPHONE. - Tho telegraph operator at Charlottesville possesses a telephone, and, cial rates to farmers and builders using large at the request of Mr. W. C. Walstrum, the quantities. WASHINGTON & BRO. manager of the office in this city, he last night attached it to the wire. Several bymns were

CORPORATION COURT-Judge E. M. Lowe presiding .- Wm. F. Carne resigned the guardianship of Francis P. and George W. Hammill, orphans of Patrick Hammill, deceased, and Michael B. Harlow was appointed their

vorce; depositions filed by plaintiff. Com. vs. John Robey; malicious cutting; motion for new trial filed and argument in pre-

furniture.

ARLINGTON HOUSE .- Col. Wm. Kilgour, formerly of this city, has prepared a long and very highly interesting paper on "Arlington House Estate and its Historical Associations,' which is being published in the Rockville lowing scale :- Animal, or those which he has (Md.) Sentinel. The paper is written in that in common with the brute creation; intellectual pleasing and forcible style for which the Colonel

ARM BROKEN.-Mr. Thomas K. Davis, the and inhabited by the Spirit of God. The fruits mail carrier between Bristoe and Brentsville, of the intellectual and moral powers may be was thrown from his wagon one day last week, receiving painful injuries. His shoulder was ophy and poetry, in law and government, and bad'y bruised and his left arm broken. He rein the blessed affections which have their home | ceived the necessary surgical assistance, and at

THE ROBEY CASE. - Judge Lowe had before powers and susceptibilities which belong to the him to day the case of the Com. vs. John Robey, heart renewed, may be seen in its communion indicted for malicious cutting. The pending motion was for a new trial and in arrest of judgment. Judge Lowe refused the former motion and granted the latter, the effect of which is to release the prisoner.

> Prince William counties at Occequan has been commenced, and is being pushed forward with him during war. vigor. It is not expected that the bridge will be ready for travel before next summer.

side guests, although some regular boarders still compy their rooms there. Mr. Ernest H. Leftwich, the late proprietor, will accept a position in Richmond. He has gained many friends while a resident of this city.

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS. -The resolutions of thanks to the Alexandria firemen presented by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Washinto the character and history of man. A third | ington, for the services rendered at the Patent form of character is the social and moral. It Office fire, were to day hung up in the Chamarises from cultivating the domestic and social | ber of the Common Council, where they will

est possible form of human character consists in Lizz'e Morgan Beach, the estimable wife of spiritual religion. If man was made capable of S. Ferguson Beach, ceq., died at her residence knowing, worshipping and enjoying God, then on Prince street yesterday. Mrs. Beach had confiscated bonds, with the interest, was affirm certainly nothing less than this can exalt him been suffering from consumption for some time.

> PERSONAL. - George A. Mushbach, esq., the city debt.

Local Brevities. A four year old shild of Officer John Lawler

strayed away from its home, in the First Ward, this morning, but was subsequently found near the capal locks.

Prevention excels cure every time. Always keep Dr. Bull's Cough Sgrup convenient; take it in time, and you will be free from coughs, colds, etc. Sold everywhere. Price, 25 cents

goods store of Washington, Carter's, 707 Mar-ket space. Every yard of dry goods "must" be sold by February 1, 1878-all of our Black and beautiful colored Dress Goods, Blankets, Shawls, &c., &c. Remember every yard must be sold, even if they do not bring cost. This were accused of fighting and disorderly conduct store is positively for rent. This is an opporon the street. Dudley was discharged and tunity to buy dry goods cheaper than any one in the world will sell them. dec 10 wtf.

Costs but 50c. Sold by every druggist in Alexandria. Durang's Rheumatic Remedy cures rheumatism without fail.

"GERMAN SYRUP."-No other medicine in the world was ever given such a test of its curative qualities as BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP. In three years two million four hundistributed free of charge by druggists in this country to those afflicted with Consumption, Asthma, Croup, severe Coughs, Pneumonia and other diseases of the throat and lungs, giving the American people undeniable proof that GERMAN SYRUP will cure them. The result has been that Druggists in every town and village in the United States are recommending it to their customers. Go to your Druggists and ask what they know about it. Sample bottles 10 cts. Regular size 75 cts. Three doses will re-

AMUSEMENTS.

LEON'S CONGRESS OF STARS. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, January 23, 24, 26 & 27.

MATINEE WEDNESDAY at 2:30 p. m.

MYSTERIOUS, SCIENTIFIC, SENSATIONAL Don't fail to visit this really marvelous Entertainment. Everything chaste and refined.

The French Tragedy, The Spectre of the Forest!

And Goœhe's celebrated Opera of

FAUST! In three acts.

Prof. Leon's LEARNED DOGS, SPOT AND BEAUTY, whose rare intelligence is unequaled, speaking many words that can be distinctly un-

The Entertainment to conclude with Comical Scenes and incidents of the Laugh-

GHOST MYSTERY!

OR, THE MISHAPS OF AN IRISH SERVANT. Introducing Ghost in the air, on the floor, walking, tumbling, appearing, and vanishing with

Old time prices 25 and 50 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats. Reserved seats for safe at Januey's, Cor. King and Royal Streets.

Doors open at 7: curtain rises at 8. For particulars and full propramme see street

From Washington. EDUCATIONAL.

SPECIAL TO THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 21.

In the Senate, to day, among the official dcc. uments submitted was one in reference to the Confederate records, which was referred.

A large number of petitions and memorials were presented, among them several from various Grang's in opposition to changes in the tariff; also praying the remonit zation of silver, and for the repeal of the resumption act. A bill was introduced for the establishment of steamship mail service between the U. S.

Mr. Beck introduced a resolution prohibiting the purchase by the Secretary of the Treasury of bonds for a sicking fund. A bill to repeal the tax on tobacco was re-

There was a debate of some duration in reference to the case of Maj. Ruskle, involving the right of the President to reinstate with pay, between Mersrs. Conkling and Burnside, and the whole subject was finally referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Matthew's silver resolutions were then taken up and Mr. Jones, of Florida, took the floor and addressed the Senate in favor of remonetizing silver.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

In the House the States were called for bills, resolutions, &c., under which call Mr. Goode, of Va., introduced a bill to grant a pension to the heirs of Capt. Guthrie who lost his life at the time of the Huron disaster. Also to relieve from political disabilities W. C. Whittle, Virginius Freman, Thomas J. Page, Wm. Sharp, W. A. Whittle, J. D. Simms, C.

H. Kennedy and C. H. Williamson. Mr. Hunton introduced bills for the relief of the Accotink Home Guards, for the relief of Robert Vincent, Mary Meyham widow of Peter Mcyham, and of Joanna Lylies of Alexandria.

Mr. Pridemore introduced a bill to refund to R. M. Ely, jr., the sum of \$20,000 taken from

A motion to make greenbacks receivable for all custom dues after January, 1879, was introduced by Mr. Southard, of Ohio, but the hour of two having arrived and it being District of Columbia day no vote was taken and the House proceeded to the consideration of District bills. A favorable report was made upon the bill for the construction of a railroad bridge across the Potomac at the Three Sisters and the bill placed on the calendar.

An adverse report was made upon the resolations of the Missouri Legislature for a removal of the capital to St. Louis or some more central location, and the committee asked and were discharged from the further consideration of all such propositions.

DECISION AGAINST THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA In the Supreme Court, to-day, the decision of the Court of Appeals of Virginia in the case of Dr. O. Fairfax against the City Council of Alexandria, suit for the recovery of certain Court, and gave the decision upon the ground that the process was improperly served upon the Auditor, which should have been upon the Mayor, Aldermen, Councilmen, or Recorder. NOTES.

The bill for the relief of the Accotink Home Guards, introducd in the House to day by Gen. Hunton, provides that the Secretary of War shall place on the muster roll the names of the members of the company, and that their claims the pick of the market, FRIED, STEWED for services from July, 1863, to April, 1865, be allowed.

The bill for the relief of Mrs. Joanna Lyles, of Alexandria, is for the sum of \$413.50 for use and occupation of dwelling on Prince street, by Federal officers of subsistence during the

Judge Parker, of Winchester, was on the floor of the Senate to-day. Mr. Jones spoke to but few in the Senate to day upon the silver question.

Mr. Lamar, of Misssissippi, speakes to mor-row, and will, doubtless, draw a "full honse." Owing to the prevailing fog neither the New York or Philadelphia steamers had arrived at

To RAISE MONEY. - My fine

stock of Clothing, Hats and Gents'

Furnishing Goods will be sold out

at a sacrifice.

a late hour this evening.

S. DEALHAM,

62 King st., cor. Fairfax.

DOPULAR DRY GOODS STORE.

Carter's, 707 Market space, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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We are closing out every yard of our immense stock of desirable Dry Goods, as the store we occupy will be for rent Feb. 1, 1878. Any one wishing to engage in the Dry Goods business will find this store an excellent stand. We have been here nearly four (4) years, and by polite attention and selling our Dry Goods cheaper than any one in Washington, have done a tremendous business. On account of our ir creasing business we find the store we now occupy too small. We have bought one of the largest stores in Washington, situated very near whole

stores in Washington, situated very near whole we are now located. When we move we will inform our friends through this paper (the Alexandria Gazette) of our location.

Remember, we are selling off every yard of our DRY GOODS AT COST. Great bargains in Black Cashmeres, Brown Cashmeres, Navy Blue Cashmeres and Dark Green Cashmeres, very fine, wide double fold, only 25c; Double fold Colored Dress Goods only 15 and 18c; large

size white pure Wool Blankets \$2.50; excellent Canton Flannel 62c; Excellent Calico 52c.

Every yard of our BLACK SILKS must be sold, and we are offering them at the same price we gave for them. This is an opportunity to we gave for them. This is an opportunity to buy Black Silks very cheap. All of our fine Black Cashmeres, fine Knickerbocker Dress Goods, fine Colored Cashmeres and Merinos will be sold at cost Extra large very heavy Pure White Bridal Quilts only \$1.50, worth \$3.

CARTER'S, 707 Market Space,
Washington, D. C.

Remember, this great sale only lasts SIX 1Y dec 7-wtf

where, but come at once to 110 King st., and see the elegant styles of Boots and Shoes; large assortment at popular prices, p. 21 W. B. WADDEY.

MESSINA ORANGES just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN. SHREADED COD FISH, just received by J. C. &. M. MILBURN. CUCUMBER PICKLES, very cheap ian 16 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

CHOICE EASTERN CHEESE just received by [jan 17] J. C. & E. MILBURN. IMPORTED COLD CREAM just received by dec 21 B. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

TTIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL MECHANICAL COLLEGE. The next half session begins the TWENTY-FOURTH OF FEBRUARY. Expenses vary from \$15 a month for furnish ad rooms and table board to \$7 in messes, with room reat fres. For

appointments or catalogue apply to C. L. C. MINOR, President, Blacksburg, Virginia. ELOCUTION AND THE FRENCH LAN-

GUAGE.

Mr. SIDDONS,
late of the Virginia and Washington and Lee
Universities, will be happy to receive gentlemen
and ladies, youths and adults, who may desire
complete instruction in HIGH ART READING
and CONVERSATIONAL FRENCH. Terms
very moderate. Address 47 Fairfax st., Alexnov 19-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT-The TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 125 Cameron street, now occupied by E. E. White. Possession given Feb. 1st, 1878. Apply to jan 9-tf C. C. SMOOT & SON.

FOR RENT-The DWELLING on south-side of King street, near the corner of washington, and lately occupied by Mrs. Grif- Jeremiah Dowell, viz: One tract containing fith, will be let to a good tenant at a very reduced rent.

dec 18-2awtf GREEN & WISE. FOR RENT.—The STORE ROOM on the northeast corner of King and Union streets the best location in the city for a grocery and ap 18-tf

WM. H. SMITH. SMITH & CO.,

Alexandria, Virginia.

Having completed our arrangements for the Produce, Oyster and Fish business, we are now prepared to furnish the trade with anything in our line at prices to suit. We will also receive fresh SALT WATER FISH three times a week, which will be offered for sale at stall No. 3, City Market, by Mr. J. G.

WANTS.

WANTED-A SITUATION in a school or private family by a lady who has had much experience in teaching the usual English branches, French and Music. She can give the best of references. Address TEACHER, B. C., Alexandria, Va.

WINTER DELICACIES.

129 KING STREET.

Continues his new enterprise. He has arrang ed his capacious and comfortable parlors for serving delicious

OYSTERS IN ALL STYLES.

during the winter to ladies and gentlemen in a manner as acceptable as he serves Ice Cream during the summer. He insures

RAW, at the lowest rates.

hand. FROZEN CUSTARD made to order. Orders promptly attended to and families

supplied.

NOTICE. Families wanting CHOICE FAMILY BACON can find such as cannot be surpassed, empracing
40,000 POUNDS OF

BREASTS and of my own curing, put up with the care, which I am selling at the following low prices: Hams at 121c; Breast or Breakfast Pieces at 10c, and Shoulders and Sides at 93. All who want a

J.P.POSS,

Alexandria, Virginia. Making and laying carpets and oil cloths, trimming and hanging window shades and lace curtains. Paper hung at 10 cts. per roll. Persons wishing to have work done will please les.ve orders at my residence, or at Lunt & Davidson's Drug Store. Work executed with promptness, and satisfaction guaranteed. Orders for work: in the country promptly attended to. jan 8-3 m BIRD CAGES!!

BIRD CAGES! BIRD CAGESIII All kinds of Bird Cages and cage fixtures constantly on hand; also breeding cages and Gravel

107 King street. TRON FRAME CENTENNIAL BRACKET AND THE KNOX FLUTING MACHINES, on stands, six inch rollers, at \$3, for sale at 88 King street to close out. jan 16 JNO. T. CREIGHTON & SON

AXLE GREASE! AXLE GREASE!!
40 cases of AXLE GREASE, in store and for sale in lots to suit the trade by McLEAN & UHLER.

CARRIAGE AND BUGGY WHEELS, of assorted sizes, made by H. Miffleton, of select materials, will be sold at very low prices, at 88 King st, corner of Royal, by jan 16 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. FRESH SUPPLY OF ZEPHYR WORST-

DECKER'S UNIVERSAL BURGLAR ALARM; cheap, simple and effective;

WINDSOR COFFEE POTS. Another lot of the above coffee pots, received and for McLEAN & UHLER'S, 107 King street.

VIRGINIA BUCKWHEAT, very choice, of for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

DRIED PEACHES AND CHERRIES DAVY & HARMON.

TTALIAN MACCABONI in store and for L gale by R. W. AVERY, 226 King st. CHOICE MESSINA and FLORIDA OR-ANGES for sale by jan 14 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

YARMOUTH BLOATERS and SCOTCH HERRING for sale cheap by jan 14 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

AUCTION SALES.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer. RUSTEE'S SALE—Under authority of a deed of trust from Charles Brill, executed April 1st, 1872, to secure the payment of \$3,000 and the unpaid interest thereon, recorded in book No. 2, page 248, in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court, the subscriber, as trustee, will sell for cash, to the highest bidder, on TUESDAY, the 19th day of February, 1378, in front of the door of the Market building, on Royal street, Alexandria, Va., a LOT OF GROUND, with a THREE STORY BRICK STORE HOUSE thereon, situated on the east side of Royal street, between King street and side of Royal street, between King street and Market space, fronting 18 feet on Royal street, and 77 feet 6 inches deep, binding upon a court and alley in the rear, 10 feet wide, which communicates with Market alley.

jan 17-td JNO. S. CHAPMAN, Trustee.

BY VIRTUE OF DECREE OF THE CIR-CUIT Court of Prince William county, entered on the 12th day of May 1875, in Harper vs. Russell, asuit in equity therein pending, the undersigned, commissioners, will, on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1878, that being court day, proceed to sell by public auction, to the highest bidder, before the front door of the Court House of Prince William county, the two following PIECES OR PARCELS OF

212 acres and 25 poles, and the other containing 105 acres, 2 rods and 28 poles
Terms of Sale:—For cash sufficient to pay costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue on a credit of one, two and three years with interest from day of sale, to be secured by bonds with good personal security and the retention of

the title until the payment of the same. A. NICOL, Commissioners. jan 12-ts

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]
TRUSTEE'S SALE—Under authority of a L deed of trust from Job Corson, dated August 6th, 1872, to secure the payment of \$800 and the unpaid interest thereon, recorded in book No. 2, page 391, in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court, the subscriber, as trustee, will sell for cash, to the highest bidder, on WED-NESDAY, the 6th day of February, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mayor's office, on Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., a LOT OF GROUND, with a FRAME DWELLING thereon, situated on the north side of Queen st., between Pitt and Royal streets, 20 feet front by 64 feet deep.

jan 4-ts JNO. S. CHAPMAN, Trustos. By Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

Y VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered at the September term, 1877, in the suit of T. C. Ring against The Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company and others, the undersigned commissioners therein named the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will proceed on SATURDAY, the sixteenth day of February, 1878, at twelve o'clock m., to sell by public auction, in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the said city of Alexandria, Va., the whole of THE ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAIL-WAY, extending from the southern end of the Long Bridge, in Alexandria county, Virginia, to Quantico, in Stafford county, in said State, together with all and singular its franchises, rights, interests, privileges, property and estate, real, personal and mixed, where soever situate and by whomsoever held. The rolling stock of

Cars.
Two (2) Baggage Cars.
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Twenty-one (21) Gondola Cars [freight.]
Terms of Sale: Ten per centum of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equal annual payments from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be evidenced by the bonds of the purchaser, bearing interest. the bonds of the purchaser, bearing interest, with security satisfactory to said commissioners of sale; the title to said property to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid; the pur-

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DUBLIC SALE

PUBLIC SALE

VIRGINIA TELEGRAPH LINE.

By authority of a deed of trust made to me by the Virginia Telegraph Company, bearing date the 1st of July, 1871, to secure the payment of the first mortgage coupon bonds of said company; also a deed of trust bearing date 1st of January, 1873, to secure the payment of the second mortgage coupon bonds of said company, both deeds having been duly recorded in all the counties through which the telegraph lines run, I will, as trustee named in said deeds, offer for sale by public auction, in the city of Alexandria, Va, in front of the city Court House, on TUESDAY, the 29th of January, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., the ENTIRE PROPERTY OF THE SAID VIRGINIA TELEGRAPH COMPANY, to wit: The line of telegraph extending along the Washington City, Virginia Midland and Great Southern Railroad from Alexandria to the town of Staunton, in Augusta county; and from Alexandria, along the Washington and Ohio Railroad, to the towns of Leesburg, Hamilton and Clarke's Gap, in Loudoun county—in all about 200 miles of wire—together with their rights, franchises, instru-

line.
Terms of Sale: One third cash on day of sale;
the recidue in two equal instalments, payable in the recidue in two equal instalments, payable in three and six months from day of sale. The bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, will be required for the deferred payments. The title to be retained until all the purchase money be paid. The property to be resold at the exponse of the purchaser upon failure to comply with terms of sale.

dec 31-ts CHAS. R. HOOFF, Trustee.

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By order of the Mayor:

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FIRE. -The dwelling house of Mr. George W. Mitchell, near Manassas, was destroyed by fire a few nights since. The fire criginated from a stovepipe passing through the roof, which breame detached. The loss will amount to about four hundred dollars, on which there is no insurance. Mr. Mitchell succeeded, with the aid of his neighbors, in saving most of his

is so well known.

THE OCCOQUAN BRIDGE.—The masoury for the proposed bridge connecting Fairfax and

CITY HOTEL.—The City Hotel, on Royal street, was closed on Saturday evening to out-

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